

The President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom concerning trade between the United States and the European Union.

In the evening, the President traveled to New York City.

The President announced his intention to nominate David A. Nasatir to be a member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute.

The President announced his intention to nominate Frederick Slabach to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Foundation.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Connecticut and New York on September 11.

September 6

In the morning, the President met with President Tran Duc Luong of Vietnam at the Waldorf-Astoria. In the afternoon, he met separately with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel and Chairman Yasser Arafat of the Palestinian Authority at the Waldorf-Astoria. In the evening, he met separately with Crown Prince Abdullah of Saudi Arabia and King Abdullah II of Jordan at the Waldorf-Astoria. Later, he attended a Progressive Governance dinner in the Hilton Room at the Waldorf-Astoria.

The President announced the nomination of Senator Joseph R. Biden, Jr., and Senator Rod Grams to be United States Representatives to the 55th Session of the United Nations General Assembly.

September 7

In the morning, the President met with President Ahmet Sezer of Turkey at the Waldorf-Astoria. In the afternoon, he met separately with Presidents Jiang Zemin of China, Jacques Chirac of France, Vladimir Putin of Russia, and Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom at the Waldorf-Astoria.

September 8

In the afternoon, the President met separately with Prime Minister Bertie Ahern of Ireland and President Hugo Banzer of Bolivia at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted September 6

Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,
of Delaware, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Fifty-fifth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Rod Grams,
of Minnesota, to be a Representative of the United States of America to the Fifty-fifth Session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Submitted September 7

Valerie K. Couch,
of Oklahoma, to be U.S. District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma, vice Wayne E. Alley, retired.

Marian McClure Johnston,
of California, to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of California, vice Lawrence K. Karlton, retired.

David A. Nasatir,
of Pennsylvania, to be a member of the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute for a term expiring September 17, 2003, vice Terrence B. Adamson, term expired.

Robert B. Pirie, Jr.,
of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of the Navy, vice Jerry MacArthur Hultin, resigned.

Frederick G. Slabach,
of California, to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2005, vice Norman I. Maldonado, term expired.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released September 5

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a press briefing by Chief of Staff John Podesta, Office of Management and Budget Director Jack Lew, Office of Management and Budget Deputy Director Sylvia Mathews, and Deputy Assistant to the President for Health Policy Chris Jennings on the legislative agenda

Transcript of a press briefing by National Security Adviser Samuel Berger on the President's upcoming visit to the United Nations Millennium Summit

Announcement: Official Delegation Accompanying the President to New York for the U.N. Millennium Summit

Released September 6

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Joe Lockhart

Transcript of a readout to the pool by Deputy Secretary of State Strobe Talbott and Senior Adviser to the Under Secretary for International Security and Arms Control Jim

Timbie on the President's meeting with President Vladimir Putin of Russia

Fact sheet: U.S. Support for the United Nations: Engagement, Innovation, and Renewal

Released September 7

Transcript of a press briefing by Secretary of State Madeleine Albright on the meeting of the U.N. Security Council

Fact sheet: President Clinton and the Millennium Summit: Protecting the Global Environment

Fact sheet: U.S. Efforts on the Millennium Report "Call to Action" on Poverty and Economic Development Issues

Fact sheet: U.S. Efforts on HIV/AIDS and Infectious Diseases

Announcement of nomination for U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of California

Announcement of nomination for U.S. District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma

Acts Approved by the President

NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.